

State of New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services

Division of Economic & Housing Stability COVID-19 Data

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Division of Economic & Housing Stability (DEHS)

Mission

To advance the health, economic, and social well-being of individuals, families, and communities.

Vision

Individuals and families are strong, resilient, and thriving in their communities.



Social Determinants of Health

Environmental Health

Environmental elements support individuals' wellness and health behaviors; exposure to toxic substances, and physical hazards is reduced.

Education

Children are ready to learn and able to graduate; adults are adequately prepared to be self-sufficient.

Education



Safety

Individuals live in safe and inclusive communities; free from abuse, neglect, discrimination, inequity, crime, and violence

Safety



Employment &

Income Stability

Transportation

Individuals have safe affordable, and accessible transportation options.

Transportation



Healthy Thriving Communities

Environmental

Health

Food & Nutrition

Food & Nutrition

Individuals have reliable access to a sufficient quantity of affordable, nutritious food.

Housing Stability

Individuals have safe, affordable, and stable housing.

Housing Stability

Health & Well-Being



Employment & Income Stability

Individuals maximize their capacity to support themselves financially across their lifespan

Health & Well-Being

Individuals achieve their desired level of physical, mental, and emotional health



Division of Economic and Housing Stability (DEHS)

DEHS includes the following:

- Bureau of Child Development & Head Start Collaboration
- Bureau of Child Support Services
- Bureau of Employment Supports
- Bureau of Family Assistance
- Bureau of Housing Supports
- Comprehensive Family Support Services

Additional data will be added to this document as it becomes available.



Unduplicated Open Cases - Economic Assistance

	Week Ending										
Caseload	31-Jan (Baseline)	28-Feb	27-Mar	24-Apr	29-May	26-Jun	31-Jul	28-Aug	4-Sep	11-Sep	18-Sep
Open Cases (Unduplicated)	119,424	119,306	118,656	122,739	125,256	126,203	127,731	128,902	129,107	129,453	129,922
Adult Cash	7,413	7,404	7,360	7,438	7,485	7,464	7,393	7,298	7,234	7,250	7,125
FANF Cash	3,673	3,627	3,621	3,783	3,808	3,746	3,798	3,611	3,532	3,568	3,504
Medicaid	107,359	107,240	107,174	110,728	113,363	114,406	116,098	117,240	117,527	117,839	118,319
SNAP	38,347	38,228	37,935	40,101	40,638	38,391	37,612	37,062	34,319	35,131	35,979
Child Care	3,236	3,227	3,215	3,225	3,235	3,259	3,300	3,299	3,090	3,120	3,155
QMB/SLMB/QDWI	22,920	22,897	22,845	22,869	23,342	23,426	23,484	23,533	23,480	23,528	23,569

*Case equals household, not individual people. For example, one case could be a parent and two children or a single person. Data from other sources may reference individuals, not households, which will cause numbers to be reported differently.

FANF Cash – provides financial assistance to eligible families with dependent children

QMB – Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Assistance

SLMB – Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary

QDWI – Qualified Disabled & Working Individuals

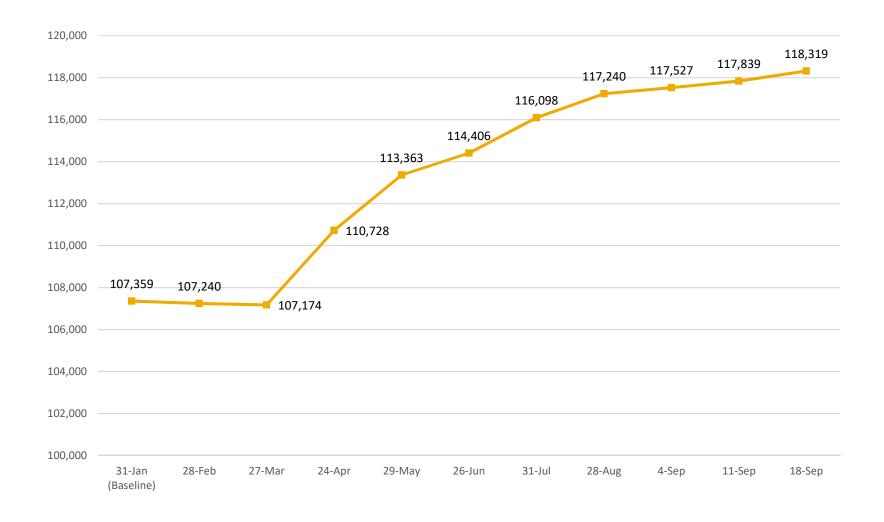


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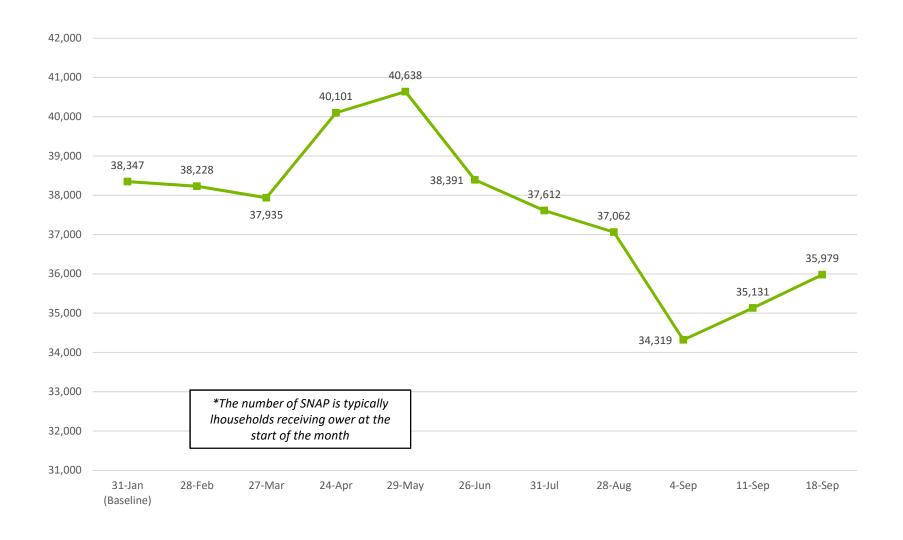


Medicaid Caseload Numbers





SNAP Caseload Numbers





Pandemic – EBT

Pandemic – EBT (P-EBT) was a program for SNAP and non-SNAP households that was in place through the end of August 2020.

Under P-EBT children eligible for free or reduced price meals under the National School Lunch Program are eligible to receive a monthly benefit for the period covering mid-March through mid-June.

P-EBT Benefits Processed	Total		
Households	15,959		
SNAP	12,006		
P-EBT Only	3,953		
Children	27,077		
SNAP	20,397		
P-EBT Only	6,680		

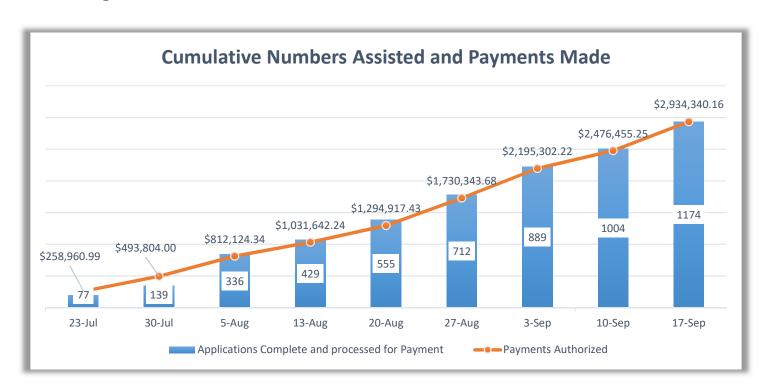




NH Housing Relief Program

The NH Housing Relief Program was created to support families or individuals in need of housing assistance as a result of COVID-19.

Access to the program is through the five (5) Community Action Program agencies located throughout the state.





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Building

Investment in Child Care During COVID-19

Through September 18th, over \$28M has been invested in the child care field. This enables 43,161 licensed or allowable capacity spaces across the state.

- Disaster Billing: \$3.5M
- Emergency Child Care Program Stipends: \$3M
- Health and Safety Supplies: \$1M
- Child Care Recovery & Stabilization Program grants to providers: \$19M
- Child Care & Early Learning Infrastructure & Capacity \$1.75M

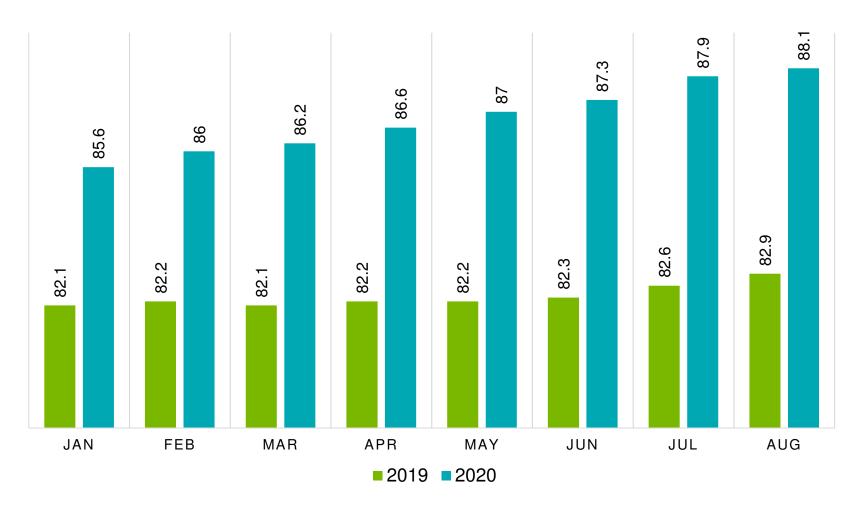
Additional investments this fall:

- COVID- 19 related absentee billing related to COVID for all children with enrolled providers.
- Extension of full-time rate for school aged care for children receiving child care scholarship.



Bureau of Child Support Services – Support Orders

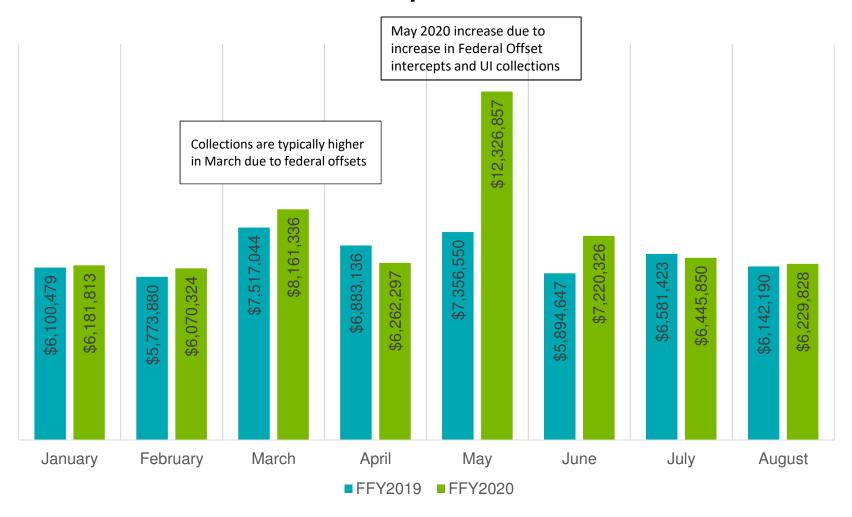
Percentage of Orders Established in Total Caseload – 2019-2020





Bureau of Child Support Services – Total Collections

Total Collections from All Sources by Month – Federal Fiscal Year 2019-2020







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